

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Paul F. Meier, Edward L. Sughrue, Jan W. Wells, Douglas W. Hausler,
Max W. Thompson, and Amos A. Avidan

Serial No.: 10/821,161

Group Art Unit: 1764

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Examiner: Jennifer A. Leung

For: DESULFURIZATION SYSTEM WITH ENHANCED FLUID/SOLIDS CONTACTING

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FOR RESPONSE
WITHIN ONE MONTH

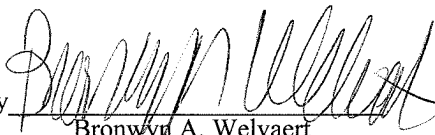
It is respectfully requested that the time for filing a Response to the Office Action for the above-identified application now due August 18, 2007, be extended one month to expire September 18, 2007.

Please charge the fee of \$120.00 for this request to Deposit Account 16-1575. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 16-1575.

This request is made in good faith and not for purposes of delay.

Respectfully submitted,

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